

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
10441Z

In Re Application Of: Nicholas K. Hayward, et al.

Serial No.
09/349,954

Filing Date
July 8, 1999

Examiner
Christine J. Saoud

Group Art Unit
1647

Invention:

**A VASCULAR ENDOTHELIAL GROWTH FACTOR (VEGF) MOLECULE AND PROCESS
FOR PRODUCING SAME**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 3, 2003 above-identified application.
Date

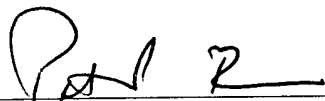
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☒ Five months

from: May 3, 2003 until: October 3, 2003
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,970** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**


Signature

Dated: September 29, 2003

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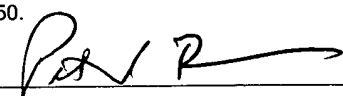
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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 9/29/03 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


Signature of Person

Peter I. Bernstein

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